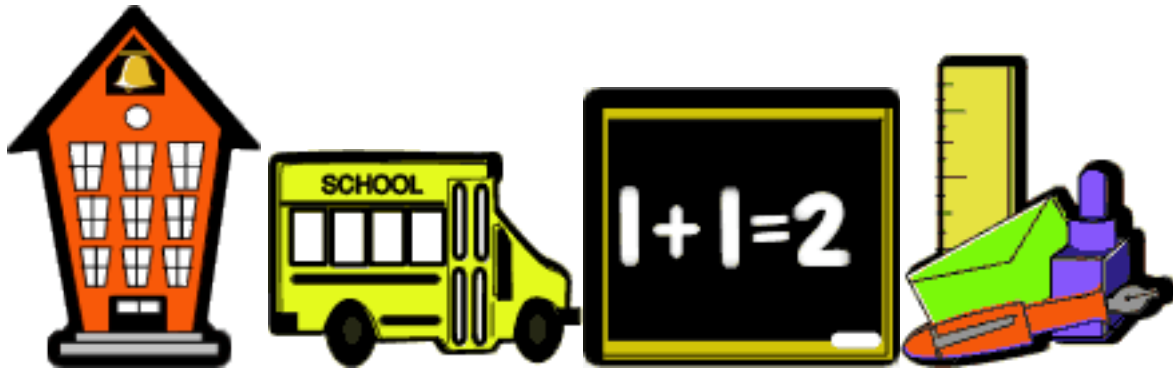


## Sheridan News



### **ISEL TESTING FOR INCOMING 1ST GRADERS**

We will be administering the ISEL (Illinois Snapshot of Early Literacy) to all incoming 1st grade students this fall. Some students will be assessed prior to school on August 27th while others will have the option to take this assessment during the first week of school. If you are interested in taking advantage of the August 27th date, please contact Mina Zimmerman at 847-234-6010 X8327 by June 13 to schedule your half-hour session. Space is limited on August 27th. Please be assured that all students will be assessed by the end of the first week of school.

### **CELEBRATION BOOK CLUB**

Attached to Dr. Feeney's Wiki you will find the last list of parents and the name of the book that has been donated to our Celebration Book Club. Thanks to all of you that contributed to the library at Sheridan School.

### **WHAT A DIFFERENCE A DAY MAKES!**

Field Day was a huge success at Sheridan School!! There was a fleeting moment that we thought would have to cancel due to showers but the clouds cleared and we had a great afternoon. Thanks to the parent volunteers that worked so hard, we couldn't have such a wonderful day without you. Thank you Kathy Norman for facilitating such a memorable day for our students!!

### **4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE NEWS**

Please join us on the last day of school from 9am - 11am at West Park on Green Bay Road to say good-bye to the teachers! They will be stopping by on their way to DPM - they're making sure it's ready for us!

Also, please mark your calendars for the 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Party on June 5<sup>th</sup> from 6pm - 8pm at the Winter Club on Sheridan Road. Pizza and cake will be served. There will be games and music galore! Invitations will arrive through the mail. If you have any questions, please contact your room parent.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **6/5-Last Day of School**

\*Special note-Flyers that relate to Sheridan School, the district and Community events are located on Dr. Feeney's Wiki. To view the flyers log on to the Sheridan School website, click on to Dr. Feeney's Wiki, then click on "Downloads"



## **DISTRICT**

### **STUDENT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE UPDATE**

Drum roll, please!

After careful deliberation, we've arrived upon a powerful order in which our top five character traits can be unveiled and targeted for next school year. We are very excited to announce these:

2008-2009 Character traits:

Sept./Oct.: Teamwork

Nov./Dec.: Caring

Jan./Feb.: Honesty/Integrity

March/April: Respect

May/June: Responsibility

We will kick off the year with an emphasis on teamwork and caring among all. It will be important to stress that at the core of any team/family is the foundation of respect, which we plan to help all staff weave into this first character trait via our District-wide behavior expectations. We will then follow up with a focus on honesty/integrity and respect before finishing the year strong with a focus on responsibility.

Our Student Development Committee is working hard to plan kick-off and other activities to support these top five values, with an initial emphasis on teamwork and caring. Please do contact us (e.g., rleafman@lfelem.lfc.edu or jmalin@lfelem.lfc.edu) if you have ideas and thoughts to share on how to make these values come alive! Thank you for this very great partnership.

Rebecca Leafman, Joe Malin, and the 2007-08 Student Development Committee

### **SAVE THE DATE FOR THE SPIRIT OF 67**

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE SPIRIT OF 67 Foundation's 5th Annual "Chip In" for Education Golf Outing and Ladies Luncheon on Monday, October 6, 2008 at Conway Farms Golf Club. Ladies Luncheon at 11:00 a.m., \$50. Golfers check in at 11:00 a.m. with 18 hole shotgun start 12:30 p.m., \$500 (lunch and cocktail reception included). Raffle and Silent Auction. Look for your invitation in this summer's mail! For reservation information please email Laurie Doherty at [dohertyll@comcast.net](mailto:dohertyll@comcast.net). All proceeds from this event directly support District 67 schools. The Spirit of 67 Foundation is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) corporation.

### **STUDENT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

Thank you to all students that submitted entries for the custom cover contest. The winner was 6th grader, Molly Kingsley.

Please visit the district website to view the winning entry as well as some of the other entries that will be used as posters next year.

The Student Development Committee invites you to join the Emotional Wellness Wiki. This wiki was created to provide information, view documents, and receive feedback from all stakeholders.

Please email Rebecca Leafman at [rleafman@lfelem.lfc.edu](mailto:rleafman@lfelem.lfc.edu) if you would like to join the wiki as a viewer or collaborator. Please indicate your first and last name, your email address, and whether you would like to be a viewer or collaborator.

### **COMMUNITY**

#### **LAKE FOREST SOCCER ASSOCIATION TRYOUTS**

LAKE FOREST SOCCER ASSOCIATION TRYOUTS-LFSA is holding tryouts for the 2008-2009 travel soccer season for girls and boys Under 8-U12 beginning June 2nd-June 5th. Now in our 21st year, LFSA has over 300 kids with 93% from the Lake Forest/Lake Bluff communities. Teams for every skill level, guaranteed playing time and exceptional coaching. Visit [www.lfsa.org](http://www.lfsa.org) to download our brochure and register online today!

#### **LAKE FOREST SOCCER ASSOCIATION SUMMER CAMP**

Lake Forest Soccer Association Summer Camp for 7-12 year olds. Let your kids have fun while learning and improving their game from LFSA's professional trainers in a safe and structured environment. Over 90% of kids are from the LF/LB community. Two one-week sessions are being offered this summer. For more information, call 1-847-778-LFSA or visit our website [www.LFSA.org](http://www.LFSA.org).

**For Cherokee, Everett, and Sheridan** - SOCIAL STUDIES MUSEUM EXPRESS is on the MOVE... Next year, the museum will move to its permanent facility. A grant from the Spirit of 67 will allow the program to invest in technology and other enhancements to help us create the most fun, hands-on, interactive social studies experience for kids! But we need your help!!! We need a new name to represent our new permanent social studies museum! Help us come up with a new name for

the MUSEUM! The winning entry will get a \$25 gift certificate from the downtown LF Chamber of Commerce. Parents, Kids K-4, Teachers and Administrators are all encouraged to submit entries. Judging will take place over the summer with the winner announced in the fall. Visit the district website or your school's download page for an entry form!

### **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE CAMP AT ELAWA FARM**

Lake Forest High School Outdoor Environmental Science Camp at Elawa Farm for Students entering 6th-8th grade. This unique summer camp will be hosted at Elawa on Waukegan Road in Lake Forest. It will utilize both the outdoor farm and the new science lab classroom located in a restored building on the site. This science laboratory has been equipped and is supported through a shared partnership with Lake Forest High School District 115, Lake Forest Elementary District 67 and Lake Bluff District 65. For further information, contact Jim Sullivan @ 847-582-7702, email: [jsulliv@D115.org](mailto:jsulliv@D115.org) or Kathy O'Hara @ 847-582-7424, email: [Kohara@d115.org](mailto:Kohara@d115.org).

### **BRIAN URLACHER FOOTBALL CAMP**

2008 Brian Urlacher Football Camp - July 1st- 3rd, 2008, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm at Lake Forest High School. Questions: 847-433-8820, or email: [info@urlacherfootball.com](mailto:info@urlacherfootball.com), or visit: [www.urlacherfootball.com](http://www.urlacherfootball.com).

### **DESTINATION IMAGINATION, INC. INNOVATIVE EDUCATIONAL SUMMER CAMPS**

Destination ImagiNation, Inc. Innovative Educational Summer Camps "Get your WHOLE head in the game!" Where: Libertyville Sports Complex; When: weeks of June 9th through August 4th (except July 4th week); What: Week-long, half day camp. For full day of camp, pair with Sports Galore (K-6), Open Gym, or call for special arrangements. For more information, contact: Diana Baldi (847)-682-4093 or visit <http://www.innovationtrainer.com>.

**For more information on these programs, click on "Community Programs" under Helpful Links on the district website: [www.lfelem.lfc.edu](http://www.lfelem.lfc.edu).**